

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP

Newsletter

NOVEMBER, 2015

2015 TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

BOB KINSEY - MAYOR

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE TOWNSHIP CLERK'S OFFICE:

2015 DOG LICENSES: All dogs are to be licensed each year. The 2015 Dog Licenses can be purchased at the Municipal Building between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday in the Municipal Clerk's Office, Room 105. You may also mail your fee along with proof of rabies and neutering/spaying to 470 Stage Coach Road, Millstone Twp., NJ 08510. Neutered/Spayed dog fee is \$12.00 and Non-Neutered/Non-Spayed dog fee is \$15.00. A late fee of \$10.00 PER DOG is in effect for all residents who have not renewed their dog's license.

RECYCLING DATES: November 11 & 25; December 9 & 23

VETERANS MEMORIAL COUNCIL: The Veterans Day Ceremony will be held on November 11th at 11:00 a.m. at the Millstone Township Veterans Memorial.

All residents interested in serving on the Millstone Township Veterans Memorial Council, please submit your request and resume to: William Nurko, Chairman, 470 Stage Coach Road, Millstone Twp., NJ 08510

OPRA NOTIFICATION: An Appellate Division ruled that if you give any government agency your email or physical address it is subject to OPRA (Open Public Records Act).

TOWNSHIP CLERK REPORTS HIGHLIGHTS OF RECENT TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE ACTIVITY:

RESOLUTIONS:

- Denying Request for Release of Performance Guarantees For KFC, Site Plan No. P98-12 (Block 56, Lot 11.01)
- Authorizing the Holding of an Executive Session, at Which the Public Shall be Excluded
- Payment of Vouchers
- Opposing Any Wastewater Treatment Facility at Riverside Center (XXXIII Associates) Block 18, Lot 2, Et Seq., Route 33 West, Millstone Twp.
- Directing Tax Collector to Refund 2012 Homestead Benefit on Block 29, Lot 5.01, Also Known as 145 Baird Road to the Previous Owner
- Directing Tax Collector to Refund 2012 Homestead Benefit on Block 12, Lot 6.14, Also Known as 20 Princess Court
- Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse
- Fiscal Grant July 2015 To June 2016
- Authorizing the Holding of an Executive Session, at Which the Public Shall be Excluded
- Payment of Vouchers
- Authorizing the Township of Millstone to Participate In Intra-County Mutual Aid and Assistance Agreements with Participating Units in the County of Monmouth
- Amendment to the Shared Services Defense Agreement
- Amending Resolutions No. 15-48 and No. 15-72, Which Awarded Contract for the Salt Mixture and Special Rock Salt Mixture as per Monmouth County Contract F-157-2014
- Amending Resolution No. 15-29 Adopting Cash Management Plan
- Amending Resolution No. 15-31 Establishing Official Depositories for the Township of Millstone
- Rejecting Bids Re: Collection and Removable of Residential Recyclable Materials and Exercising Option Under Existing Contract
- County Home Funding Provided to the Affordable Housing Alliance
- Authorizing Acceptance of Replacement Maintenance Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit for Shelly's School for Dogs (Burnt Tavern Road Holding Co., LLC), Block 57, Lot 33, Site Plan No. Z09-01
- Awarding Contract for Conover Road Sinkhole and Pullen Drive Retention Basin Outfall Structures



We Need Your Information

Send us your organization's news, announcements or event calendar. Fax your information to 609-208-2438 or e-mail to k-hart@millstonenj.gov. For more information, contact Kathleen Hart at 732-446-4249, Ext. 1702.



Planning Board 9-9-15 Meeting

Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes: August 12, 2015

Approval of Executive Meeting Minutes: August 12, 2015

New Application:

P15-04 Horowitz - Block 14, Lot 11.06 known as 852 Perrineville Road and Block 14, Lot 11.07 known as 856 Perrineville Road. Lot 11.06 consisting of 40.86 acres and Lot 11.07 consisting of 43.59 acres both lots are located in the R-UP (Rural Preservation) zoning district. Applicants seek a minor subdivision (Lot-Line Adjustment) of the two properties. Variances needed. Noticing required. Deemed Complete: 8-20-15.

Old Business: Mt. Laurel Update

Board of Adjustment 9-30-15 Meeting

Approval of July 22, 2015 Meeting Minutes

New Application:

Z15-08 Kenngott, Kate - Block 23, Lot 20.07. Property located at 82 Baird Road consisting of 3.013 acres in the R-130 zoning district. Applicant seeks variance approval to construct a second story to the existing single family dwelling where the existing rear corner of home is 37' 8" from the side yard and 40 feet is required. Noticing Required.

Application heard and approved.

Millstone Twp. Shade Tree Commission (STC) TREE TIPS

Fall is a great time to plant new trees and shrubs due to the cool, moist soil conditions. However, not all trees are recommended for Fall planting. Learn which trees you should avoid planting now and wait until next Spring by accessing our

"FALL DIG HAZARD LIST"

For this list and more helpful hints check us out at our new Facebook page, www.facebook.com/MillstoneSTC



**** MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS ****

FALL BRUSH DROP OFF DATES

Residents will be allowed to drop off unlimited quantities and larger sized pieces (excluding briars, stumps, vines, leaves, grass or any other material).

The Drop Off Site will be opened on **SATURDAYS ONLY** on the following dates:

November 7th and 14th

Hours of operation from 8AM - 1PM

Location: 15 Baird Road Across from Wagner Farm Park

The site will be supervised by the Department of Public Works.

The Brush Drop Off site is limited to Millstone Township residents (please be prepared to show identification). **COMMERCIAL VEHICLES WILL BE PERMITTED BUT MUST PRESENT A VOUCHER THAT THEY RECEIVED FROM THE RESIDENT.** To receive a voucher, the resident must contact the Municipal Clerk's office at 732-446-3402. One voucher per street address.

If you have any further questions, please contact Dan Specht at 732-917-2955.

Millstone Twp. Recreation Winter Programs!

BASKETBALL

Open Registration!

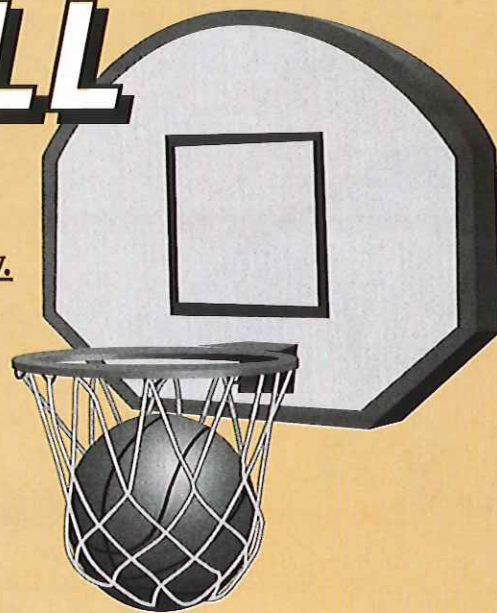
Players will be placed on teams based on roster availability.

Open to: Boys and Girls Grades 1 – 12

Weeknight Practice - Saturday & Sunday games

Season Runs: November 9 – March 6

Registration Fee: \$105.00



REGISTRATION DEADLINE

"Registration deadline will be three days before the first player draft (10/28) or the first scheduled game (12/5) whichever applies. After the registration deadline, participants will be waitlisted, and their team placement will be determined by team availability. Although every effort will be made, there are no guarantees that another team/coach will be available. Once placed on a team, fees for waitlisted participants will be due. All fees for waitlisted participants will apply."

SPECIAL NEEDS BASKETBALL

Open to: Millstone Township Boys and Girls
grades 2 - 8



When: Sundays 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Dates: December 6 - February 28

Location: Primary School

Registration fee: \$50.00



This program is intended to provide a safe, successful and enjoyable experience for all. It aims to provide an opportunity to participate in a recreational program and experience the atmosphere where the emphasis is on building friendship, confidence and self-esteem. The goal of this program is to introduce the fun of playing basketball and to give everyone a chance to play regardless of limitations. It is a skill-based learning program tailored to individual abilities. Each child will be paired with a buddy. Parents are required to stay, though not required to participate.

Program registration information: Register online or download registration forms at: www.millstonerec.org. If you have any questions, please contact the Recreation Department at 732-917-2954. The Recreation Office is open M - F, 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. There is also a drop box located on the front door of the Municipal Building available 24/7.

Millstone Twp. Recreation Winter Programs!

WRESTLING PROGRAM

Instructional / Competitive Program



Open to: Children grades K - 8th

Season runs: November 9 - February 25

Location: Middle School

Registration Fee: \$65.00

Practice: K - 2nd grade

Tues. & Thurs., 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

3rd - 8th grade

Mon. 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.,

Tues. & Thurs. 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Adult Recreation Programs

Adult Volleyball - Registration Fee: \$40.00

Adult Soccer - Registration Fee: \$40.00

Men's Basketball - Registration Fee: \$80.00

All programs are held in Millstone Township Schools.

Dates, times and locations vary.

For a complete schedule, go to the Recreation Department website:

www.millstonerec.org



Volunteers Needed

Millstone Recreation invites students in grades 8 - 12 to volunteer for our sports programs and special events. Would you like to make a difference in your community? We need people like you to donate your time! Have fun while fulfilling your community service hours for school, religious organization or club. Letters will be provided upon completion of your service.

- Give back to your community
- Enhance your leadership skills
- Community service hours
- Interact with members of your community

Millstone Recreation needs volunteers who are committed, conscientious & dedicated. If you possess these qualities, please go to the Recreation Department website: www.millstonerec.org to see all volunteer opportunities.

Adult coaches needed for basketball, please go to the Recreation website to sign up!

VETERANS DAY CEREMONY - Wednesday, November 11th

A Veterans Day salute to US military Veterans will take place at 11:00 a.m. (sharp) on Wednesday, November 11, 2015 at the Millstone Township Veterans Memorial. Following a brief ceremony, "Taps" will be played. The Millstone Veterans Memorial is located at 470 Stage Coach Road, next to the Municipal Building.

Following ceremonies, light refreshments will be served at the Millstone Township Community Center across from the Memorial. All Military Veterans, current serving military and citizens are invited to attend.

On November 11th, ceremonies will take place at Veterans memorials all across the US, at the exact hour- 11:00 a.m.

Veterans Day is established in the US as a national holiday to recognize our nation's Military Veterans, past and present, and the sacrifices they've made to protect our nation.

The United States Military "Code of Conduct:"

I am an American, fighting in the forces which guard my country and our way of life. I am prepared to give my life in their defense.

I will never surrender of my own free will. If in command, I will never surrender the members of my command while they still have the means to resist.

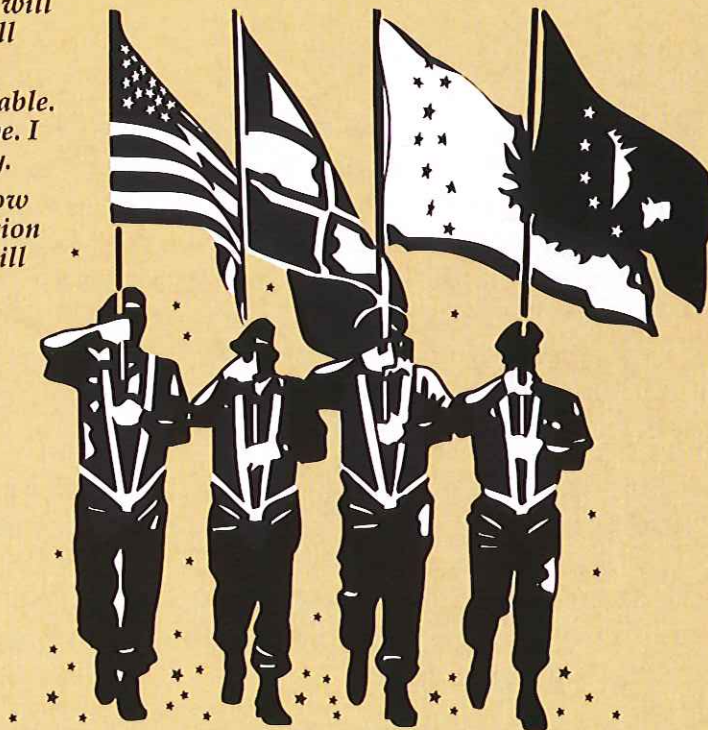
If I am captured I will continue to resist by all means available. I will make every effort to escape and to aid others to escape. I will accept neither parole nor special favors from the enemy.

If I become a prisoner of war, I will keep faith with my fellow prisoners. I will give no information or take part in any action which might be harmful to my comrades. If I am senior, I will take command. If not, I will obey the lawful orders of those appointed over me and will back them up in every way.

When questioned, should I become a prisoner of war, I am required to give name, rank, service number, and date of birth. I will evade answering further questions to the utmost of my ability. I will make no oral or written statements disloyal to my country and its allies or harmful to their cause.

I will never forget that I am an American, fighting for freedom, responsible for my actions, and dedicated to the principles which made my country free. I will trust in my God and in the United States of America.

William M. Nurko, Chairman
Millstone Township Veterans Memorial Council

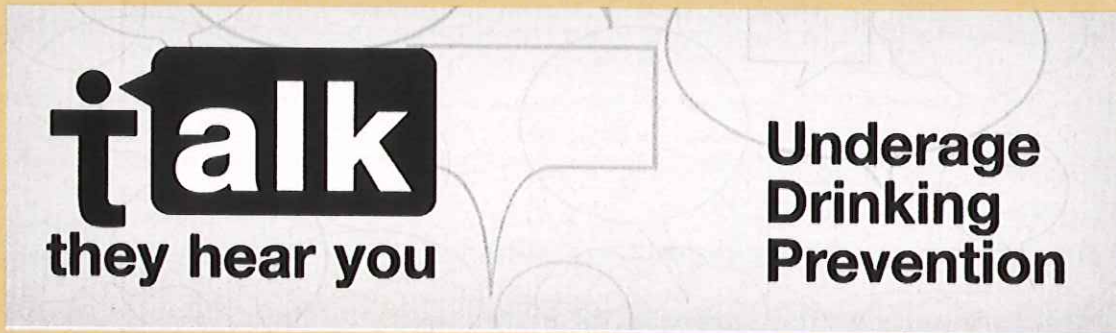


Military Veterans of All Wars - All Eras are Welcome!

The Veterans Coalition, Millstone Post NJ- 03 will hold its regular monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of the month starting at 7:30 p.m. at Millstone Community Center, next to the Millstone Fire House. All honorably discharged US military veterans - From All Eras - and current serving military are welcome to join. Bring a copy of your DD-214, discharge papers or valid military ID. The Veterans Coalition programs include: Veterans Service Officers, Public School Education, POW-MIA Awareness, Homeless Veterans Assistance, US Military Support Packages, Community Support, and National Honor Guard. Information about the National Veterans Service organization can be found on line at: theveteranscoalition.org. For further information contact William Nurko at 609-443-1974 or email wnurko99@aol.com.

Meetings are held the first Tuesday of the month, 7:30 p.m. at Millstone Community Center

Millstone Alliance to Prevent Substance Abuse



The Millstone Alliance to Prevent Substance Abuse supports the "Talk. They Hear You." Campaign as a way to engage parents in the prevention of underage drinking among youth. A new report from the American Academy of Pediatrics says that parents should start talking to their children about age 9. The reason is that kids start to develop impressions and attitudes about drinking as early as 9 years old according to the author of the report. So for prevention to have an impact, we must start early. Frequently, parents downplay the seriousness of the situation, thinking, "not my kid", or "at least it's only alcohol and not heroine or pills". But the report goes on to encourage parents to influence children's ideas about alcohol early, rather than trying to change their impressions later. Anyone with teenagers knows how hard this can be!

A committee of doctors wrote in the report "The more young people are exposed to alcohol advertising and marketing, the more likely they are to drink, and if they are already drinking, this exposure leads them to drink more. Therefore, it is very important to start talking to children about the dangers of drinking as early as 9 years of age." Researchers found that 21 percent of young people have tried more than a sip of alcohol by age 13, and nearly 80 percent acknowledged drinking before graduating high school.

The Alliance is addressing this important issue by providing full funding (which comes from the Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse) to offer the Life Skills Training program in each 5th grade classroom and the B.A.B.E.S. (Beginning Awareness Basic Education Studies) program in each 4th grade classroom at Millstone Elementary School. The Alliance has funded this program for more than ten years as a way to provide age-appropriate information about making good choices, making safe decisions and choosing friends wisely.

For parents we will be offering two parent workshops - Are You Ready for Middle School? for 5th grade parents and Guiding Good Choices for parents of 4th grade students. Workshops will be scheduled for Spring 2016.

We encourage parents to attend our monthly Alliance meetings where current trends and information are discussed and prevention materials are made available so you can feel confident having these important conversations. If you don't know about ENDS, Palcohol, dabbing or molly - you need to show up! Also, we are always looking for volunteers. Our meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Municipal Court Building. Also check out our link on the Millstone Township website for resource information, or if you have a specific question or concern, reach us at our email address: millstonealliance@gmail.com or leave a confidential message at 732-462-4770, x 40.

Millstone Township Hospital Auxiliary



HARVEST DINNER/DANCE



November 7, 2015 7-11 PM

Benefit: Cancer Care at CentraState Medical Center



Millstone Elks

Burnt Tavern Road, Clarksburg, NJ

\$20/person Music and Dinner

**Join us
for great
food and
a fun
evening!**

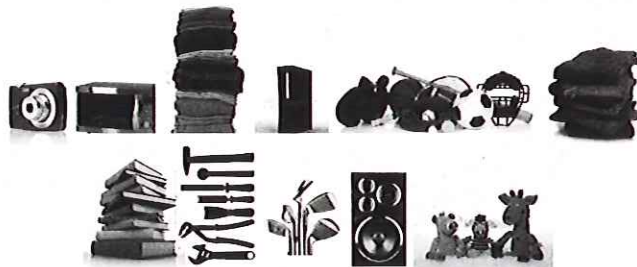
Call NOW for Tickets: 609-259-2684 vamph1@verizon.net

Sponsored by The Millstone Township Fire Company Ladies' Auxiliary - A Non-Profit Organization



**Saturday, November 14, 2015
8 am - 2 pm**

**At The Millstone Township Fire House
461 Stage Coach Road, Millstone Twp. 08510**



**We are looking for household items, linens, toys, tools, clothing,
books, electronics, sport equipment, etc.**

PLEASE, no computers, exercise equipment, TVs, baby car seats or baby cribs!

Donations gratefully accepted at the Fire House from Tuesday - Thursday (11/10-11/12) Hours: 9 am - 6 pm

All proceeds to benefit Millstone Twp. Fire Company

For more information, please contact:

Theresa Gesualdo 609-658-5435 or Allison Mains 609-259-9862





All Meetings Take Place In The Court Room At The Municipal Building, 215 Millstone Road, Unless Otherwise Stated.

MONTHLY MEETINGS FOR NOV., 2015

2	Standardbred Pleasure Horse Organization - Community Center.....	7:00 p.m.
2	Recreation Commission.....	7:30 p.m.
2	Agricultural Advisory Council.....	7:30 p.m.
3	ELECTION DAY.....	6:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
3	Senior Executive Board Meeting - Community Center.....	10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
3	VVnW & Veterans Coalition - Community Center.....	7:30 p.m.
4	Township Committee Meeting.....	8:00 p.m.
4	UFRSD Board of Education - Newell Elementary School Board Room.....	8:00 p.m.
5	Hospital Auxiliary.....	7:30 p.m.
9	Environmental Commission.....	7:30 p.m.
9	Fire Commissioners - Fire House.....	8:00 p.m.
10	Senior Bingo/Luncheon - Community Center.....	11:00 a.m.
10	Garden State Horse & Carriage Society - Community Center.....	7:00 p.m.
10	Municipal Court.....	4:30 p.m.
11	Veterans' Day - All Municipal Buildings are Closed.....	CLOSED
12	M.T.F.E.E. - Middle School Board of Ed Conference Room.....	10:00 a.m.
12	Drug Alliance.....	7:00 p.m.
12	Pleasure Horse Club - Community Center.....	7:15 p.m.
12	Shade Tree Commission.....	7:30 p.m.
12	Planning Board.....	7:30 p.m.
16	Office of Emergency Management.....	7:00 p.m.
16	Historic Commission.....	7:00 p.m.
16	Millstone Township Board of Education - Middle School Library.....	8:00 p.m.
17	Municipal Court.....	4:30 p.m.
17	Millstone Township PTO - Primary School Library.....	7:00 p.m.
17	Horsemen's Association of Millstone Township - Community Center.....	7:00 p.m.
18	UFRSD Board of Education - Newell Elementary School Board Room.....	8:00 p.m.
19	Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center.....	10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
19	Open Space Farmland Preservation.....	7:30 p.m.
19	Board of Adjustment.....	7:30 p.m.
19	Veterans Memorial Council - Community Center.....	8:00 p.m.
23	Fire Commissioners - Fire House.....	8:00 p.m.
26	Thanksgiving Day - All Municipal Buildings Closed.....	CLOSED
27	Day After Thanksgiving - All Municipal Buildings Closed.....	CLOSED
30	Millstone Township Board of Education-Middle School Media Center.....	8:00 p.m.

MONTHLY MEETINGS FOR DEC., 2015

1	Senior Executive Board Meeting - Community Center.....	10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
1	Municipal Court.....	4:30 p.m.
1	VVnW & Veterans Coalition - Community Center.....	7:30 p.m.
2	Township Committee Meeting.....	8:00 p.m.
3	Hospital Auxiliary.....	7:30 p.m.
5	Senior Christmas Dinner - Community Center.....	1:00 p.m.
7	Standardbred Pleasure Horse Organization - Community Center.....	7:30 p.m.
7	Recreation Commission.....	7:30 p.m.
7	Agricultural Advisory Council.....	7:30 p.m.
8	Senior Christmas Get Together - Community Center.....	11:00 a.m.
8	Municipal Court.....	4:30 p.m.
8	Garden State Horse & Carriage Society - Community Center.....	7:00 p.m.
9	Shade Tree Commission.....	7:30 p.m.
9	Planning Board.....	7:30 p.m.
9	UFRSD Board of Education - Newell Elementary School Board Room.....	8:00 p.m.
10	M.T.F.E.E. - TBD.....	7:00 p.m.
10	Drug Alliance.....	7:00 p.m.
10	Pleasure Horse Club - Community Center.....	7:15 p.m.
14	Environmental Commission.....	7:30 p.m.
14	Fire Commissioners - Fire House.....	8:00 p.m.
14	Millstone Township Board of Education - Middle School Library.....	8:00 p.m.
15	PTSA - Middle School Library.....	9:30 a.m.
15	Municipal Court.....	4:30 p.m.
15	Horsemen's Association of Millstone Township - Community Center.....	7:00 p.m.
16	Township Committee Meeting.....	8:00 p.m.
17	Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center.....	10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
17	Veterans Memorial Council - Community Center.....	8:00 p.m.
17	Open Space Farmland Preservation.....	7:30 p.m.
21	Office of Emergency Management.....	7:00 p.m.
21	Historic Commission.....	7:00 p.m.
25	Christmas Day - All Municipal Buildings Closed.....	CLOSED
28	Fire Commissioners - Fire House.....	8:00 p.m.
30	Board of Adjustment.....	7:30 p.m.



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